

20 October, 1980.

Mr. George A. Wilson,  
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Dear George,

A special thanks to you and Hazel for the organisation Tuesday last, and for everything that preceeded it. As far as Ian and I were concerned, the timing was impeccable. We arrived at the church with 30 minutes to spare and again had 30 minutes to spare when we returned to Tullamarine.

Thankyou also for the courtesy you extended us giving me the keys of the house. All I could find in the 10 minutes we were there, were some old photographs, some sheet music, 2 hymn books and the Mother's Medal given to Grandma Stevens. I did not like to take any documents at all in case they were needed by the solicitor. Once you are satisfied you have all the documents you need, I would appreciate it if everything else - old letters, old Newspaper clippings, documents of anysot which could relate to the history of the family - could be put in a container and despatched C.O.D. to me at the above address please.

I confirm my verbal advice to you that Mrs. van Heusdon and Mrs. Searle may select an item or items as you direct.

Separately, I have written to my cousin Betty Bryant and her mother, indicating my wish to take possession of the organ, and seeking their approval. Both of my children have played this instrument on the occasions of their visits to Ocean Grove, and there is a strong sentimental attachment to it. As indicated previously, I am perfectly willing to make an appropriate allowance in the direction of the Will monies if you as Executor so direct. If the instrument has a substantial intrinsic value, this would only be fair to the other beneficiaries.

Through the N.S.W. Department of Education, I am trying to trace Richard Stevens. Richard's son, Christopher is a teacher employed by the Department. The Department for privacy reasons, will not devulge the address of an employee. Enclosed is a rough copy of a letter written 15 October to the Education Department.

I <sup>CONFIRM</sup> inform also my previous verbal advice that I agree to your decision to hand to charitable organisations Rubie's residual effects.

George, I note your desire and instructions to the solicitor that you will personally pay funeral and other related expenses. I cannot speak for the others of the family of course, by my view is that this is very generous of you. Without knowing the reasons - nor do I seek to know - intuitively, I feel you believe you have just cause to take this action. I respect you for it. Let me add, however, that if future circumstances should dictate that these expenses be the responsibility of the estate or the beneficiaries,

for whatever reason, then I will willingly accept that decision.

Please feel free to contact me any time should you need command or assistance. My home number is (02) 431142 and business number is (02) 20531.

Best wishes to Hazel and yourself,

Kind regards

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "George".

GEORGE STEVENS.